

## CHAPTER 78

# "BELLEMERE"





THEY WON'T BE  
ABLE TO SEE  
OUR HOUSE  
SINCE YOU  
CAN'T SEE IT  
HERE FROM  
THE VILLAGE.

DON'T  
WORRY.

WHAT DO WE DO,  
NOJIKO... DO YOU  
THINK BELLEMERE'S  
ALRIGHT?

JUST BEAR WITH  
IT FOR NOW...  
FORTUNATELY, NO  
ONE WILL BE KILLED  
THIS TIME.

HOW'RE WE  
SUPPOSED  
TO MAKE A  
LIVING,

IF WE HAVE  
TO PAY THAT  
MUCH EVERY  
MONTH...!

WITH HER AND HER 2  
KIDS, THEY'D HAVE TO  
PAY 200,000 BELL...  
THERE'S NO WAY SHE'D  
HAVE THAT MUCH  
MONEY SAVED UP...

NOW PLEASE  
JUST GO BACK  
WITHOUT NOTICING  
BELLEMERE'S HOME!

I GUESS  
WE SHOULD  
CONSIDER  
OURSELVES  
FORTUNATE IF  
WE CAN SOLVE  
THIS CRISIS  
WITH MONEY  
ALONE...

THEY'VE  
TOOK COMPLETE  
CONTROL OF  
OUR VILLAGE...

LET'S PULL  
BACK FOR  
TODAY,  
BRETHREN!

ALRIGHT,



ARLONG! THERE  
SEEMS TO BE A  
HOUSE A LITTLE  
AWAY FROM THE  
VILLAGE!



# ONE PIECE 9



EVEN WE  
BARELY  
MANAGED TO  
PAY THEM OFF.

SO HOW  
COULD SHE  
EVER COME UP  
WITH ENOUGH  
MONEY!?!? WHAT  
DO WE DO!?

THIS IS BAD!  
THE PIRATES  
ARE HEADED TO  
BELLEMERE'S  
HOME!

OH NO, WE'VE  
GOTTA STOP  
THEM!

THEY MUST'VE  
TOOK THE BACK  
ROUTE TO THEIR  
HOME!

THEY SHOULD  
BE HIDING IN  
THE FORESTS  
BUT THEY'RE  
NOT THERE!

WHAT IS IT  
GENZO!?! AND  
WHERE ARE THE  
CHILDREN...!?

DOC, WE'VE  
GOT TROUBLE!

I KNOW!

NO JIKO,  
HURRY UP!

??????

ARE  
THEY  
BACK?

OH?











YOU INVITED ME FOR TONIGHT'S DINNER, RIGHT?

JUST PAY THE AMOUNT FOR ONE ADULT.  
BELLEMERE...

THERE'S A MEAL SET UP FOR 3 PEOPLE INSIDE!  
ARLONG!

SO HURRY UP LEST THE FOOD GO COLD...



LOOKS LIKE ALL THE VILLAGERS ARE SAFE FOR NOW

GOOD THING YOU HAD ENOUGH MONEY...

GEN...!?



THAT'LL BE 100,000 BELL THEN. ARE YOU GOING TO PAY UP OR WOULD YOU RATHER DIE INSTEAD?

ALRIGHT THEN...

THIS WOMAN'S NEVER BEEN MARRIED NOR HAD ANY CHILDREN.

ACCORDING TO THE TOWN REGISTRY,







I'M SORRY,  
GEN...

WHAT?

BELLEMERE!

I... I JUST CAN'T  
BRING MYSELF TO  
SAY THAT I DON'T  
HAVE A FAMILY.

HOW  
COULD  
YOU DO  
SUCH A  
STUPID  
THING!?

EVEN IF IT  
MEANS I'LL  
LOSE MY  
LIFE...!

BELLEMERE

THOSE  
GIRLS... ARE  
MY CHILDREN,  
AREN'T THEY?

EVEN IF  
IT'S JUST  
MERE WORDS,  
I STILL WANT  
TO BE CALLED  
AS THEIR MOTHER.



FORGIVE ME...

FOR NOT EVER  
BEING ABLE TO  
DO ANYTHING  
MOTHERLY FOR  
YOU GIRLS...

ぎゅ… !!!

I REALLY WANTED  
TO BUY YOU GIRLS A  
LOT OF THINGS...

WHETHER IT BE  
NEW BOOKS OR  
NEW CLOTHES!

AREN'T YOU A FORMER  
MARINE, BELLEMERE?  
YOU'RE STRONG, RIGHT?  
YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO  
BEAT THESE GUYS UP NO  
PROBLEM!

SO  
PLEASE  
STAY  
WITH US  
FOREVER!

THAT'S NOT  
TRUE! WE  
DON'T NEED  
ANYTHING SO  
PLEASE DON'T  
DIE!

YES, THAT'S  
RIGHT!

ARE THESE  
KIDS YOUR  
DAUGHTERS?

I STILL HAVEN'T SHOWN  
YOU THE MAP OF THE  
WORLD I'LL DRAW!

PLEASE  
DON'T  
DIE,  
BELLEMERE!





